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### 782nd PLENARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

1. Date: Thursday, 19 November 2009

Opened: 10.15 a.m. Closed: 11.40 a.m.

2. Chairperson: Ambassador M. Marinaki

Prior to taking up the agenda, the Chairperson bade farewell to the OSCE spokesperson, Mr. Martin Nesirky.

3. Subjects discussed – Statements – Decisions/documents adopted:

Agenda item 1: ADDRESS BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE OSCE PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY, H.E. JOÃO SOARES

Chairperson, President of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly (PC.GAL/10/09 OSCE+), Sweden-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Turkey; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia; the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland and Norway, members of the European Economic Area; as well as Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine, in alignment) (PC.DEL/940/09), United States of America (PC.DEL/935/09), Russian Federation, Kazakhstan (PC.DEL/937/09)

#### Agenda item 2: REVIEW OF CURRENT ISSUES

Conviction of two members of a youth organization in Azerbaijan: Sweden-European Union (with the candidate countries Croatia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia; the countries of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate countries Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Montenegro; as well as the European Free Trade Association countries Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway, members of the European Economic Area, in alignment) (PC.DEL/941/09), United States of America (PC.DEL/936/09), Russian Federation, Azerbaijan

# Agenda item 3: REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CHAIRMAN-IN-OFFICE

Participation by the Alternate Minister for Foreign Affairs of Greece and Special Envoy of the Chairman-in-Office, H.E. D. Droutsas, in the EU-OSCE Troika as head of the OSCE delegation, in Brussels on 16 November 2009: Chairperson

Agenda item 4: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

Announcement of the distribution of a written report of the Secretary General: Secretary General

Agenda item 5: ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Selection process for the appointment of the OSCE Representative on Freedom of the Media: Chairperson

## 4. <u>Next meeting</u>:

Tuesday, 24 November 2009, at 10 a.m., in the Neuer Saal